

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Robbins *et al.*  
Serial No. : 10/650,435 Examiner : Saidha, Tekchand  
Filed : August 28, 2003 Group Art Unit : 1652  
For : POLYPEPTIDES FOR INCREASING MUTANT CFTR CHANNEL  
ACTIVITY

**AMENDMENT**

**FILED ELECTRONICALLY APRIL 23, 2007**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Official Action of December 21, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination and a one-month Petition to Extend Time up to and including April 23, 2007 along with the required fees. Applicants believe that no other fee is due. However, if any other fee is required in connection with this communication or any overpayment has been made, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.